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President George W. Bush today announced the designation of a Presidential Delegation to attend the State Funeral of His Excellency Boris Trajkovski, President of Macedonia, Friday, March 5, 2004.

The Honorable Anthony Principi, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, will serve as head of the delegation.

The Honorable Lawrence Butler, United States Ambassador to Macedonia, The Honorable Frank Wolf, United States House of Representatives, The Honorable Eliot Engel, United States House of Representatives, Mr. Barry Jackson, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy to the Senior Advisor,

Mr. Kent Patton, Consultant and former Program Director, International Republican Institute.